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In re Application of  
Tzahi Arazi et al.  
Serial No.: 09/963761  
Filed: September 27, 2007  
Attorney Docket No.: 1686/4

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: WITHDRAWAL OF ABANDONMENT  
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This is in response to applicant's petition under 37 CFR 1.181, filed December 30, 2003, requesting withdrawal of the holding of abandonment.

### BACKGROUND

A view of the file records shows that the Office sent out a Letter on April 7, 2003, setting a shortened statutory period of 1 month for reply. On December 8, 2003, the Office mailed a Notice of Abandonment stating that no reply had been received. On December 30, 2003, applicants file a Petition to request Withdrawal of Holding of Abandonment.

### DISCUSSION

The file records and Petition have been considered carefully. The Petition states that applicants filed a timely Response to the Letter mailed on April 7, 2003.

Applicants enclosed a true copy of the Response, and a copy of the USPTO Mail Room stamp verifying a date of receipt of April 30, 2003, to show that the response was timely.

### DECISION

In view of applicants' file records, the Petition is GRANTED. The Holding of Abandonment has been withdrawn.

The application will be forwarded to the Examiner for consideration of the response filed April 30, 2003.

Should there be any questions with regard to this letter please contact Special Program Examiner Julie Burke by letter addressed to the Director, Technology Center 1600, PO Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450, or by telephone at (703) 308-7553 or by facsimile transmission at (703) 308-7230.

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